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I will probably be closed up in a short while,
my sky-light will be stopped up by the wall
of the new building now being erected, adjoin-
ing my gallery. I will then not be able to take
pictures and I am sorry to hear of the
new building. I hope those who want pictures
will call as early as possible and let me serve
them while I can.
(Feb 2-24)

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Peck's Bad Boy and His Pa.

"Well, Henry, I am sorry to find
you in this fix," said the groceryman
as he tiptoed into the darkened room
at the house of the bad boy, where he
found him in bed, propped up with
pillows, a pallor on his face that was
frightful, and a general look of gones-
ness. "Your pa tells me you have
been sick nearly a week. I thought
things at the grocery were going along
in a solemn sort of a manner. Don't
hurt you to talk to you does it?" and
the groceryman looked around for a
chair to sit down in.

"Now, I don't hurt," said the bad
boy, as he motioned to a chair, and
the groceryman sat down. "If talk-
ing would kill me I would have been
dead long ago. By the way, I wish
you would hand me that mustard
plaster. You will find it in the chair
you are setting on," and the boy
smiled a sickly smile, while the gro-
ceryman got up as though he were in
a hurry, and apologized for sitting on
the plaster. "No apology necessary,"
said the bad boy. "When anybody
comes to see me they are welcome to
the best we have got. A soft answer
turneth away wrath, and a mustard
plaster covereth a multitude of men-
monia," and Henry applied the
plaster to his chest, and asked the
groceryman to hand him a box of
pills on the table. The groceryman
handed the boy a box of pills and a
glass of water, and he took a small
handful of pills and a swallow of wa-
ter, snatched his lips and said:

"Ah! A nectar fit for gods. Do
you know there is something about
being sick that takes the cake? You
can lay and sleep, or raise up and
cough. And then, the beautiful
medicine the doctor leaves! I take it
because it pleases the doctor. He is
a nice man, but I don't think a man
can feel of your pulse and listen to the
mocking birds in your heart by hold-
ing his ear on your shirt, and tell
what is the matter with you. Gim me
a drink. Now I want you to do some-
thing for me, as I may not pull
through, and pa is so busy in politics,
that he can't attend to anything.
Are you there, Mortality?"

"Yes, yes," said the groceryman, as
he saw the boy had something he
wanted to say, "out with it now, and
I will do anything you ask me to."
"Well, you know that man with-
out any legs, that plays the hand-
organ down on the corner. I want you
to take my skates to him and tell
him—"

"Great heavens!" said the groce-
ryman, "what do you want to send a
pair of skates to a man that hasn't got
any legs for?"

"Don't interrupt the speaker," said
the bad boy, as he took a pill for a
change.
"Take the skates to him, and tell him
I lend them to him until I get well.
He has got three boys, and they are
poor to buy skates, and they can take
them using mine, and I shall not
miss them, for if I live the skating
will be all gone before I get out doors
and if I die, there will be no skating
where I am going."

"O, say, hush up now," said the
groceryman. "You are not half so
sick as you think you are, and there
is no hurry about your dividing up
your worldly goods. In a day or
two you will be out as good as new,
making it interesting for all of us.
What was the hired girl laughing at
when she let me in? She said
something about your sewing the
folks out of seven years growth, just
before you were taken sick," and the
groceryman thought if he could get
the sick boy talking about some-
thing funny it would cure him.

"Well, said the boy, as he laughed
so the skin was drawn across his
pinched face, "it was awful mean,
but ma wanted to know what time
pa got home nights, since he has got
to working the ward for addermin.
You see he comes in at all times of
the night, and tries to keep still so as
not to wake ma up. He comes in
and undresses in the dark, and re-
tires and ma don't wake up. I have
got a friend working in a jewelry
store, and got him to lend me six of
those little alarm clocks, and I wound
them all up, and placed around the
house where he would catch them off
when pa came in. I put one on the
hatrack, and when pa came in just
after midnight it touched it off just
as he put his hat on the hat rack
and crept half way up stairs in
the dim light. Pa was trying to
be quiet, and when that alarm went
off he looked sick. He didn't know
what it was but he just stood still,
with his overcoat half off, and waited
for the thing to run down, and
he was listening all the time to see
if ma woke up. I had told ma to
pretend to be asleep until the last one
went off, which I had placed on the
foot of the bed, and then for her to
get up and begin to throw chairs.
Pa started up stairs as soon as the
clock stopped, in his stocking feet,
and just as he got half way up stairs
I touched off the second alarm, and
pa stopped and I went up to the
head of the stairs to get another one
ready. Pa got hold of the clock
and tried to stop the noise by hold-
ing it under his coat, and he listened
for ma some more, but ma didn't
show up. When the clock got
through sputtering pa came on up
stairs, and at the top the third one
went off, and then he was mad. He
thought that would wake ma up
but she snored right along through

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Mrs. J. C. Woodbridge is at Dawson.

Mr. W. H. Howe, of Nashville, is in the city.

Mrs. Dr. E. R. Cook is visiting relatives in the city this week.

Mr. J. R. Pence, of Russellville, was in the city Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Wint. Henry, of Casky, is visiting friends in the city this week.

Miss Lucy Whitlock visited the family of Col. Geo. W. McPherson, last week.

Miss Annie Arnsby, of Louisville, is visiting her relative, Mrs. S. G. Buckner.

Mr. John Hall, one of the proprietors of the Madisonville Gleaser, is in the city in the interest of his paper.

Misses Emma and Sallie Campbell have returned from an extended visit to their aunt, Mrs. E. Boyd Faulkner, of Marietta, W. Va.

Mrs. W. C. Cook and her little daughters Misses Edwina and Sue are spending the week in the city with Mrs. Cook's mother.

Mr. F. Danke and his adult son, of Fredonia, Ozaukee county, Wisconsin, have been, since Friday, at the Lewis House, and are prospecting in this section.

Maj. Mat McKinney, editor of the Cadiz Daily Guard, came up last Friday and spent several days in the city taking in the sights.

Mr. Chas. K. Wheeler, of the Paducah bar, paid his friends here a brief visit the first of the week, being called hither by business connected with his profession.

Mr. G. W. Paul, a clever gentleman and good citizen, who has for some time been a resident of this city, left last week for Marshall, Mo., where he will make his home in the future. His family accompanied him.

Additional Indictments.

In addition to ten indictments previously reported the Grand Jury returned the following list last week:

Carrying concealed deadly weapons, 22

Selling liquor to minors, 13

Retaining, 8

Selling liquor without license, 8

" " in prohibition dist., 5

Seining, 4

Suffering gaming, 4

Gaming, 2

Tag stealing, 2

Unlawfully giving liquor, 1

Fornication, 1

Manslaughter, 1

Receiving stolen property, 1

Embezzlement, 1

Trespass, 1

Petit larceny, 1

Aiding prisoner to escape, 1

Forgery, 1

Assault and battery to rob, 1

Revoltable, 1

Heinousness table, 1

Paro bank, 1

Total, 81

Total number found, 91

Charlotte Thompson.

This star actress is to produce the great spectacular drama, "Sea of Ice" to-morrow evening. The play has been produced wherever it has been produced, as one of the best on the stage. The N. Y. Herald says: "A great actress and grand performance."

The Cincinnati Enquirer says: "A truly wonderful great artist."

N. Y. Sun: "Charlotte Thompson has made a genuine success."

Our people have frequently seen Miss Thompson and know her to be a fine actress. Tickets as usual.

Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly.

The April Number is even more interesting than usual, and is replete with instruction and amusement. The embellishments are admirable—the colored frontispiece, "The Approach of a Storm," is particularly so. The opening article, "How Uniform Standard Time Came About," abounds with information, and is profusely illustrated. There are also illustrated articles by Walter E. McCann, E. A. Duyekink, Chas. Van Sma, N. Robinson, Prof. Barrett, T. N. Seymour, etc. Ella W. Pierce, continues her great series, "A Dark Deed," and there are short stories sketches, etc., by Jno. Habberton, W. E. McCann, K. V. Hastings, Helen W. McPherson and other popular writers. There are poems by Sidney Gray, Jos. C. Dalton, S. Waddington, etc., and a large variety of short articles, paragraphs, anecdotes, etc. There are 128 quarto pages and over 100 illustrations in each number, and the price is only 25 cents, or \$2.50 per year, postpaid. Mrs. Frank Leslie, Publisher, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York.

COMPANY ATTENTION.

The members of Company D, are requested to meet at the Armory to-night, it being the last Tuesday night of the month.

W. E. SMITH, Commander.

A communication reflecting on the city police appeared in our last issue which we do not endorse as expressing our views. So far as we know the police exercise commendable vigilance and in the case of the offender was promptly arrested, tried and fined for violating a city ordinance.

HERE AND THERE.

The books for subscription for stock in the 5th Series of the Hopkinsville Building and Loan Association, will be opened at the office of the Treasurer, Thos. W. Long, on April 1st. Stock taken during April will be sold at par. Assets of the Association over \$35,000.

Ben Thompson, Life Insurance.

Howe's is the standard city time.

Campbell and Rodgers, Ins. Agts. Buttercups will soon be in bloom.

Gardening is now the order of the day.

The roads are still in a fearful condition.

Don't fail to try our paper sacks for putting up hams.

Buy Landreth's fresh garden seeds in bulk of Wilson & Galbreath.

Turnip greens have put in an appearance in the market.

Messrs. Forbes & Bro., are building a large lumber shed on Liberty street.

Mr. N. B. Shyer has moved into the cottage on south Liberty street, opposite Mr. Ed. Price's.

Evergreen Lodge No. 33, Knights of Pythias, will work in the second rank Thursday night.

The pavement in front of the post office is undergoing repairs. It has been very bad all this winter.

There are some dangerous holes in the plank walk in front of the colored Methodist church.

Don't forget Polk Canister's stock sale next Saturday. There will be a good demand for work stock.

The colored indignation meeting was not held last Friday, as the colored Republicans have been put back into the party racks.

A vacant tobacco barn on the farm of Mr. W. W. Garrett, of this county, was burned Saturday night. The origin of the fire is not known.

Messrs. Gibb & Garner have secured the services of Mr. Jos. Gann, late of Clarksville, Tenn., as prescriptionist in their drug store.

We have learned since our last issue that Dr. L. G. Alexander's death was from neuralgia of the heart and was not caused from inflammation produced by a strong emetic, as stated in our notice of his death.

Mr. N. Tabin, late of Elkhart, of the firm of W. L. Thompson & Co., has moved his family to this city and is occupying Mr. Gibb's house on south Main street. We cordially welcome him to our city.

A. M. Tandy has received a half barrel of Clark county bourbon whiskey made in 1866. This whiskey can be had of but one party, and is the only whiskey of this kind for sale over the country or in Hopkinsville.

Mrs. W. F. Patton, Mrs. Mary McClellan, Miss Jennie Glass, and others names not learned, united with the Episcopal church Sunday, and were confirmed by Bishop Dudley.

Bishop Thos. V. Dudley, of the Episcopal church, preached at the court-house Sunday, as the Episcopal congregation worships in the Circuit Court room while their church is under process of construction.

G. W. Wiley and Isaiah Jones, the latter a colored man, have been summoned to appear as petit jurors in the Federal Court, at Paducah, on Monday, April 7th.

LOST—A valuable set ring, on Main street, Friday afternoon, last. White cameo set in black. Finder will please return to Jesse L. Edmundson and receive liberal compensation.

The John Wright who was put under bond last week for carrying away goods not his own was John Wright the fish dealer and not John T. Wright the Main street merchant. We mention this to prevent a worthy gentleman's being credited with the transactions of his namesake, by those who do not know both parties.

We have notified all of our April subscribers when their subscriptions expire and we trust they will all show their appreciation of a semi-weekly paper by renewing. We have for four months been giving them one more issue a week than they paid for and we hope none of them will fail to pay us \$2.00 for the ensuing year.

In the piece in the South Kentuckian, dated March 21st, 1881, under the head, "Who is to blame," it was stated that neither the driver or owner of the team that ran away was questioned as to the cause of the accident. This was a mistake, as I have learned since the publication of the piece. Always willing to make amends for wrongs done others intentional or not, I write the above that the officers may have the credit for the arrest and fining of one who has violated the town ordinance against leaving horses unattended. P.

Since the report of the Baptist revival given in Friday's paper, the following persons have united with the church: St. Clair Leavelle, (restored) Mrs. L. P. Payne, W. J. Graham, Henry Tandy and Howell Tandy. This makes 28 who have joined the Baptist church, including three by letter and one restored. The ordinance of baptism was administered to twenty-five of this number in the baptistry of the church Sunday night, by Rev. J. N. Prestidge, who has been conducting the meeting for a week or more. The services will be continued throughout this week. — Rev. E. C. Gates, of Brownsville, Tenn., arrived yesterday, and will assist for some days.

CRIMINAL CATALOGUE.

As Usual Crime Holds High Carnival During Circuit Court.

A Brakeman Stabs a Fellow-man to Death.

A JAIL-BIRD'S SPENDING THIEF.

THE GLITTERING BLADE GETS IN ITS WORK.

For a long time it has been a subject of comment that somebody is invariably killed during the sessions of Circuit Court. Three weeks of the present term had passed and it was really beginning to look like there would be at least one exception to this rule but all such thoughts were dissipated by a bloody affair at the depot Sunday morning which resulted in the stabbing of Charles McIntosh by James Davenport.

The parties were brakenmen on the L. & N. railroad and the affair grew out of playful badinage. The men were on good terms and the circumstances were about as follows:

McIntosh was sitting in the caboose when Davenport entered and in a mock authoritative tone said to him, "Get up sir and go and couple those cars."

McIntosh replied unconcernedly, "If you want them coupled, go and do it yourself."

This brought on a remark which McIntosh considered offensive and he got up from his seat with an iron spike in his hand and before he could use it, if he had any such intentions, Davenport stabbed him in the lowels with his pocket-knife and then assaulted him with his fist and wound up by striking him a heavy blow on the head with a piece of iron.

Davenport then quietly walked away and made his escape before the police could be notified. Both of the men lived in Tennessee, Davenport in Nashville and McIntosh in Edgely.

Dr. Fairleigh was called in to see the wounded man about 9 o'clock Sunday morning and pronounced the stab a fatal wound. It was bleeding internally and McIntosh was growing worse up to noon when he was taken on the passenger train to his home in Edgely.

He is no doubt dead by this time (Monday).

The men were brakenmen on a freight train which was standing at the depot at the time of the tragedy.

A YOUNG LADY ROBBER.

Last Saturday afternoon, about three o'clock, as Miss Lucy Whitlock was walking along College street about one square from Main, George Buckner, a negro, walked up behind her and snatched her purse from her hand and made off down an alley.

A hue and cry was raised by a number of persons who saw the bold theft and Buckner was pursued. He ran around through the southern part of the city, circled round to the north and escaped into the woods northwest of the city. He is a consummate scoundrel and had only been out of jail three days. He was arraigned in court on two charges, one of grand larceny and the other of attempted arson, but the evidence was not sufficient to convict him and he was turned loose. In appearance he is a dark mulatto, or rather brown colored boy, probably 18 years old and nearly as large as a man. His particular chum, Newman Gray, was sentenced to a term in the penitentiary last week and it is said that Buckner wanted to go too and was disappointed at his acquittal. He is utterly depraved and ought to be sent to the state prison or hung up to a limb on general principles. The purse stolen from Miss Whitlock contained a considerable sum of money, probably \$10 or \$15. She is a daughter of Dr. Jno. C. Whitlock, of Newstead, and no young lady in the county stands higher in society. She is a niece of Col. Jno. W. McPherson, at whose house she was a guest. Buckner was captured Sunday night by Deputy Sheriff John Boyd and J. E. Claiborne who got on his track and followed him ten miles out in the country on the Butterfield road. He was found asleep in a cabin at 12 o'clock at night and was brought back to the city yesterday morning. He confessed the whole thing and says he got but \$7, which amount was recovered. This is undoubtedly false as it is certain that he had disposed of a part of the stolen money. He says he took the money out and threw the purse away before he got out of town. A special grand jury was empaneled yesterday at 1 o'clock and his indictment, trial and conviction will speedily follow and he will be elected to the penitentiary before the middle of the week.

The Grim Messenger's Work.

HENDERSON: Mr. John T. Henderson died at the residence of his brother, Mr. F. F. Henderson, in this city, Thursday night Mar. 20, at 11:30 o'clock aged 23 years and 11 months. He was a worthy, industrious and upright young man and a few days ago seemed to be in perfect health. Ten days before his death he was taken with pneumonia from the first blighted the skill of his physician, and ended the career of one who gave promise of being an honorable and useful citizen in the community.

Mr. Henderson was a member of the grocery firm of Henthitt & Henderson, which began business a few weeks ago. His funeral was preached at his brother's residence at 10 o'clock A. M. and the remains were interred in the city cemetery. We tender our condolence and sympathies to his bereaved relatives.

FOX: At this residence near Garrettsburg, this county, Saturday March 22, 1881, of cancer of the face, Mr. Peter T. Fox. Mr. Fox had for a number of years been a great sufferer

and his death was not unexpected to his friends. He was about 56 years of age and was one of the most prominent and highly esteemed citizens of the county and his death will be a severe loss to the community in which he lived. He was a brother of Mr. S. T. Fox, of this city, and the father of our young friend W. G. Fox, who has so often entertained the readers of the South Kentuckian over the non de plume of CAMILLE. He leaves a family and a large number of relatives and many friends to mourn his melancholy death.

DIED.—At the house of his relative, Mrs. Addie Gunn, in this place last Sunday, Mar. 17th, at 15 minutes past 8 o'clock in the morning, Mr. Moses Thompson Sr., in the 77th year of his age.

Riding into town on business a week ago yesterday, in moderate health, but somewhat debilitated from a protracted cold, he was suddenly taken with a chill, and was carried to Mrs. Gunn's with the view of being conveyed out home next morning.

The attack, however, developed into an asthmatic case of pneumonia in a few hours, and his removal afterwards was impossible.

He received every care and attention that kindness could bestow, and died as calmly as his life had been peaceful and happy.—Cadiz Old Guard.

Last Friday week Messrs. Ferdinand and Potzsch, Friedrich Mielke, of Lebanon, Wis., and Mr. Fried. Nast, of Watertown, Jefferson county, Wis., members of Rev. Althward's Lutheran church, arrived here.

They left on Saturday for Buehler's settlement, and attended there the service of Rev. F. L. Brann. On their way back, seeing a good section of the fertile South Christian county, they stopped at the house and called through Rev. Brann on the hospitality of Mr. Pascal tiles. In the course of conversation held it appeared that while the guest, Mr. Potzsch, served before Atlanta, Ga., in Sherman's army under Gen. Hooker, the host was acting as a scout on the other side. These three prospectors were so well pleased with the general features of the country, its productive soil and its generous and hospitable inhabitants that they promised to return next fall with other friends, for settling amongst such friendly and neighborly people, as a colony of industrious German farmers, and requested Rev. Brann to publish through this paper their best and sincerest thanks for the obliging kindness and unparalleled hospitality they found in Christian bounty people. They left on Thursday for home. On Tuesday last Mr. Ludwig Koehler, the father of a former prospector, that had been called as herdsmen at the Asylum last New Year, but declined to accept this position, and Mr. Johann Steinhagen came here to prospect in this section and in other parts of Ky. Mr. William Koerner with wife and nine children, of Racine, Wis., arrived here on Tuesday night with the view of settling on a small farm near town to carry on a market gardening for vegetables. He is a special countryman of Rev. Brann's.

Four persons joined the Methodist church Sunday. These make 72 persons who have joined the various churches in the city this month.

The Grand Jury adjourned last Thursday and the boys who have been "hiding out" can now return to town.

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Closing Out At Cost.

Having purchased too extensively and contemplating a change in our business on July 1st '81, will during the entire Spring Season, offer a whole stock of CLOTHING AT COST and would therefore, respectfully solicit an inspection of our new and elegant assortment, which must be sold at a great sacrifice.

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Stock Sale,

At Lively Buckner's Stable, on the 29th of March. All those desiring to sell will bring in their stock and avail themselves of this good opportunity.

A nice lot of Mackrel, just received by

McKee & Pool.

LOST—A \$50 bill somewhere between Hancock & Fraser's warehouse and the Phoenix Hotel, yesterday morning. J. S. SUMMERS.

Northern Clover Seed for sale by

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Dissolution Notice.

Mr. J. C. Gant retires from the firm of Gant & Gaither. The business will be conducted as heretofore by J. K. Gant and Nat Gaither.

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